

Since I first drove a rental care equipped with Satellite Radio, I was "sold" on the service. Satellite radio is America at its best: it's an incredibly diverse forum, with music, news, entertainment, and opinion from a spectrum of talented people. In my local market (Lubbock, TX) there are few and miserable choices for radio programming, especially for music: rock, rock, oldies, country, country, a student-run "alternative" station and Public Radio (the only station to which I'd tune in). No jazz; no folk; no comedy channels; no choice in hard news or opinion. I appreciate and enjoy Satellite radio enormously. Please, reject the NAB's petition 04-160, and instead support consumers who are willing to pay for this wonderful service.

Sincerely,

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